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Serial No.: 09/500,746

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For : USE OF INHIBITORS TO ENHANCE ACTIVATION OF CXCR4 RECEPTOR BY SDF-1
IN TREATING RHEUMATOID ARTHRITISMail Stop AF
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Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.

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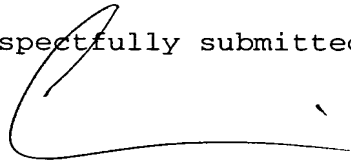
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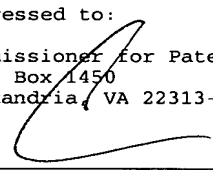
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